**Watch the clip from, *The Butler* (Freedom Riders).**

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**Freedom Fighters**

<http://www.takepart.com/photos/freedom-fighters-who-gave-their-lives/the-fight-for-equal-rights>

**Text-Dependent Questions:**

1. The Fight for Equal Rights

What was The Civil Rights Movement?

2. Harry T. Moore, Founder of First NAACP Branch

What was Moore’s role in the NAACP, and what was the consequence of his participation?

## 3. Emmett Till, 14-Year-Old Lynched for Flirting

Who was Emmitt Till and what horrors happened to him?

## 4. James Chaney, CORE Volunteer and Freedom Rider

## How did Chaney help his community, and what were the consequences he suffered?

## 5. Medgar Evers, Field Secretary Mississippi NAACP

## What was Evers’ role in strengthening *Brown vs. The Board of Education*, and what consequences did he suffer?

## 6. Malcolm X, Civil Rights Leader

What was the significance of Malcom X’s dramatic life change? How did his life come to an end?

## 7. Rev. George W. Lee, Head of Belonzi, Mississippi NAACP

## What was Rev. Lee’s role in the Regional Council of Negro Leadership and the Mississippi NAACP, and what was the consequence for his participation in these two organizations?

## 8. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Civil Rights Leader

What was Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. known for? What was the consequence for his part in The Civil Rights Movement?

## 9. ‘Little’ Bobby Hutton, First Treasurer Black Panther Party

## Along with the Black Panthers, what did Bobby Hutton protest, and was the consequence?

## 10. Leon Jordan, Missouri State Senator

What organization did organization did Jordan found? How did his life come to an end?

## 11. Fred Hampton, Deputy Chairman Chicago Black Panther Party

Who killed Hampton after a National Black Panther meeting at UCLA?

**After reading, now answer:**

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